Coastal Impact Assistance Program (CIAP) Project Nomination Tier 1 Project

Project Title: Manchac Shoreline Protection Project

Entity/Individual nominating the project: St. John the Baptist Parish

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Total CIAP Funds Requested: \$12,500,000

Parish CIAP Funds Proposed: \$1,700,000 St. John the Baptist Parish/\$7,000,000

Tangipahoa Parish

State CIAP Funds Requested: \$2,800,000

Infrastructure Funds Proposed: 0

Description and Location of Project:

The proposed project would consist of capping 21,500 linear feet of USACE existing breakwaters and filling in the gaps to create a continuous structure. The project is located in St. John the Baptist Parish near the town of Manchac, near the Manchac Wildlife Management area and Manchac Pass.

Project Type (from list of authorized CIAP fund uses):

Conservation, restoration and protection of coastal area, including wetlands.

Project Justification:

The breakwaters were built in 1995 by the Army Corps of Engineers. The length was approximately 25,400 linear feet. Since its construction, it has settled approximately 2.5 feet and now barely protrudes above the water.

Project cost share (Types and amounts of non-CIAP funds proposed, if any):

NAWCA

\$1,000,000

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